

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As the inventor named below, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the sole (if only one inventor is listed below) / joint (if more than one inventor is listed below) original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled " EXPANSION-MOLDED ARTICLE FORMED INTEGRALLY WITH SURFACE SKIN FOR VEHICLE SEAT ", the specification of which is attached hereto;

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims thereof;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a);

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that the making of willful false statements or the like is punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: I hereby all practitioners associated with **Customer No. 26936** (Shoemaker and Mattare) as my attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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